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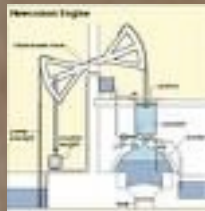
1650 A.D. – 1715 A.D.



English inventor and engineer who first used steam power to drive a water pump.

Thomas Newcomen

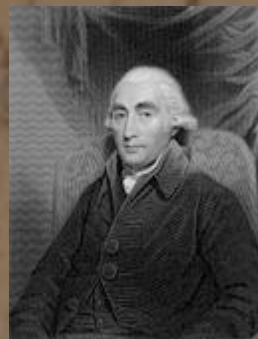
1664 A.D. – 1729 A.D.



English ironmonger who created a steam-powered engine to pump water from flooded tin mines in Devonshire.

Joseph Black

1728 A.D. – 1799 A.D.



Scottish physicist and chemist who formulated the concepts of latent heat, specific heat, and isolated carbon dioxide.

James Watt

1736 A.D. – 1819 A.D.



Scottish inventor who improved the Newcomen Steam Engine, creating a source of more efficient power. His inventions led to the industrial revolution.

1675 A.D.

1700 A.D.

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The Invention of Steam Power